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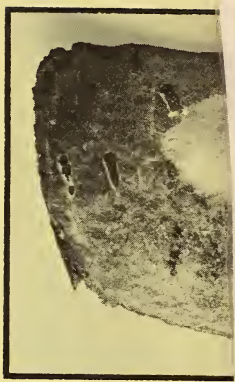
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# GYPSY MOTH TERRITORY



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Gypsy moth egg mass.

## COOPERATE WITH INSPECTORS WHO MAY CHECK YOUR CAMPER AT INSPECTION STATIONS

### CAMPERS: You can help stop the spread of gypsy moths

Gypsy moth caterpillars eat the leaves of trees, killing many of them. Defoliated trees spoil campsites, wildlife shelters and private property. Federal and State quarantines restrict the movement of many articles that might carry the dread insect to other parts of the country. But we also need your help.

Every member of your family can partici-

pate in this "stop-the-gypsy-moth" drive. Carefully search your car, camper and equipment for caterpillars, egg masses and cocoons before you leave any campsite in the infested area. Remove and crush any you find. Campsite directors or local plant protection officials can give you more detailed information. Don't take gypsy moths home with you.

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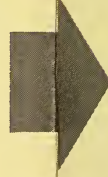
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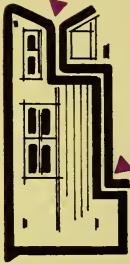
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... on your camper or trailer. Inspect all surfaces of your vehicles for fuzzy, tan-colored gypsy moth egg masses and caterpillars. Scrape them off and crush them. The egg mass you take home or to your next campsite will hatch into hundreds of caterpillars that will eat leaves and could kill trees.

## HAVE YOUR FAMILY LOOK IN THESE HIDING PLACES:



 <p>on trailer hitch</p>	 <p>on both sides of wheels</p>
 <p>on any loose metal at bottom of trailer</p>	 <p>inside propane gas cap</p>
 <p>under steps</p>	 <p>on camper-trailer extensions</p>
 <p>under gas bottle rims</p>	 <p>in jointure of truck and camper</p>